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Ah.
Please charge
Even when I charge it, the battery doesn't last long.
GOOD MORNING, IKUMI.
MORNING.
GOOD MORNING, IKUMI
GOOD MORNING.

After that day it rained, Touma and I have became more distant.

...GOOD MOR-NING.

I think I might be avoiding him subconsciously.

We've had less class time together and more individual study times.

The mountain goat app has less and less updates.

Most of our classmates have decided on their career path.

We don't need to use the mountain goat app anymore.

Today, there is only going to be a morning lesson.

Ah, It's over.

SFX: DING. DONG. DANG

*NOTE: CAREER COUNSELORS IN JAPANESE SCHOOLS ARE THERE TO HELP STUDENTS DECIDE ON A SUITABLE CAREER

There is no longer a husband who goes on and on about how the mountain goat is growing up.
PLEASE SPEND TIME WITH ME.
There are no longer any classmates who make fun of our conversations.
I have a foreboding feeling that our relationship is over.

LET'S DIVORCE.
November 22nd.
Ah...
Yes. Mysteriously, the day I said that was November 22nd.

TOUMA, YOU PROBABLY THOUGHT
THAT WE WEREN'T MARRIED ANYMORE.
IT'S NOT THAT.
I THOUGHT THAT I FELT SORRY FOR YOU, BECAUSE YOU HAD TO BE WITH SOMEONE LIKE ME.
DON'T DON'T SAY THINGS LIKE THAT.
YOU'RE MY...
HUSBAND

YOU WERE THE ONE...
Sob
When I finally realized it, I knew I'd only been causing trouble for Touma
...
I did whatever I wanted. I was pathetic and acted like a child
YEAH.

ON BLACK BOARD: NOVEMBER 22ND, DAY DUTY ASSIGNMENTS: SAKONO IKUMI, SAKONO TOUMA
Clearly, I loved this married relationship.
IKUMI, I WAS HAPPY THESE PAST THREE YEARS.
I WAS ... HAPPY, TOO. THANK YOU.
LOOK, I...
MY PARENTS ARE DIVORCED NOW, SO MY LAST NAME IS GOING TO BE CHANGED TO OKAMOTO.
OKAMOTO IKUMI.

SO FROM NOW,
IT'LL BE LIKE THAT...
I CAN'T.
I CAN'T, "SAKONO IKUMI".

Can I be your wife?

The fake husband is kind until the last moment.

DID YOU HANG ON?
...WHAT?
...
NOTHING.
Starting today, it's over.
THE BUS IS HERE. I'M GOING
AH.
It's all done.

THEN, GOODBYE.
SFX: BOARDS BUS
IKUMI.
close
Goodbye.

Mountain goat?
swish

Somehow it created a secret. Our story grew, and became love inside of me.
CLING
Our 'marriage' pulled us together and connected us.
I know that there is nothing that won't change.
You got taller and my hair got longer.
››› attention! 11/22 – Today is the day for happily married couples
...
The mountain goat...

Touma, we are certainly getting a divorce on this day.
tap
Just like that, again, from the beginning
AH...

We'll start
again from the
beginning
››› Thonk you
Haa.

My youth
was full

››› Thank you for every-
thing. I've liked you all this
time.

of love.